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Art Unit: 3725	Title: CONTAINER END AND FOR	MING SYSTEM THEREFOR

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	8	Minus	20	0	X \$25	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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